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In re application of

Jean Pierre PLOUET et al.

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Application No. 10/530,893  
(PCT/FR03/02996)

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SAID CELLS AND USE THEREOF, IN PARTICULAR FOR  
SCREENING ANGIOGENESIS INHIBITING SUBSTANCES

RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

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February 27, 2006

Sir:

Responsive to the Notification of Defective Response mailed on January 30, 2006, applicants submit herewith the declaration of the inventors. The declaration was originally objected to because the citizenship of the third inventor listed on the declaration was unintentionally omitted. However, the declaration submitted herewith corrects this informality.

Additionally, applicants submit a preliminary amendment to be filed in the present application. The preliminary amendment eliminates the multiple dependencies recited in the claims as filed. Accordingly, applicants respectfully request that the claim fee of \$910 be recalculated. As 22 claims are

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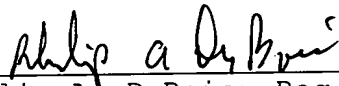
pending in the application with a total of five independent claims, applicants respectfully submit that the claim fee should be reduced to \$500 for having two excess independent claims and two claims in excess of 20 claims in total.

Charge the fee of \$400 for the two independent claims in excess of three filed herewith to deposit account No. 25-0120.

Charge the fee of \$100 for the two additional claims of any type filed herewith to deposit account No. 25-0120.

Respectfully submitted,

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## NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495)

- Priority Document
- Copy of the International Application filed on 04/11/2005
- English Translation of the IA filed on 12/13/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 04/11/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 04/11/2005
- Copy of Annexes to the IPE filed on 04/11/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 04/11/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 12/13/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 04/11/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 04/11/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 04/11/2005

Applicant's response filed 12/13/2005 is hereby acknowledged. The following requirements set forth in the NOTIFICATION of MISSING REQUIREMENTS mailed 09/16/2005 have not been completed.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Additional claim fees of **\$910** as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - The third inventor's citizenship is missing.

## SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$910** for a Large Entity:

**Applicant is required to complete the response within a time limit of ONE MONTH from the date of this Notification or within the time remaining in the response set forth in the Notification of Missing Requirements, whichever is the longer. No extension of this time limit may be granted under 37 CFR 1.136, but the period for response set in the Notification of Missing Requirements may be extended under 37 CFR 1.136(a).**

Additionally the following defects have been observed:

- Annexes have not been entered because the IPER annexes have not been translated.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is **\$ 910**

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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